

HOUSE RESOLUTION 112  
By Rowland

A RESOLUTION To recognize Joe Henry Akins on the occasion  
of his retirement.

WHEREAS, It is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who in their years of work have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm; and

WHEREAS, Joe Henry Akins is one such estimable person who has served with probity and integrity for 14 years with the Murfreesboro City Schools; and

WHEREAS, In 1987, Mr. Akins began his career with the Murfreesboro City Schools as a custodian at Mitchell Neilson Primary; he later transferred to Bradley, where his conscientious work ethic played a vital role in the smooth operation of the school system; and

WHEREAS, Joe Henry Akins enjoys the companionship and support of his loving wife, Shirley; together, they are the parents of three daughters: Mandy, Tina, and Koneca, and the grandparents of one granddaughter; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Akins exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that is characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Akins plans to spend his much deserved retirement fishing, biking, and spending time with his family; and

WHEREAS, Throughout his career, Mr. Akins has demonstrated a remarkable ability to motivate others to reach their potential, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of his peers and superiors alike; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we extend to Joe Henry Akins our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.